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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new non-provisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(B))

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| Attorney Docket No.                      | B797.12-0001  |
| First Inventor or Application Identifier | John Egart    |
| Title                                    | BACKPACK      |
| Express Mail Label No.                   | EV178022908US |

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**  
See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ \*Fee Transmittal Form e.g., PTO/SB17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant Claims small entity status
3. ☒ Specification [Total Sheets **8**]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the Invention)  
- Cross References to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. § 113) [Total Sheets **2**]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets **0**]  
a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)  
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  
i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or  
Computer program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(If applicable, all necessary)  
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ii. ☐ Paper  
c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO – 1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
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(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request Under 35 USC 122  
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17. ☐ Other:

18. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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of prior application No: \_\_\_\_\_

Prior application information:

Examiner \_\_\_\_\_

Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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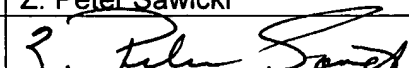
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

Complete If Known

Application No.

Filing Date

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John Egart

Title

BACKPACK

Group Art Unit

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## FEE CALCULATION (Continued)

1. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17, including any petition fee, and credit any over payments to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. Westman, Champlin & Kelly, P.A.

2. ☒ Credit Card Payment Form (PTO 2038)

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity |      | Small Entity |      | Fee Description  |
|--------------|------|--------------|------|--|
| Fee          | Code | Fee          | Code |  |
| 770          | 1001 | 385          | 2001 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee |
| 340          | 1002 | 170          | 2002 | <input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee             |
| 770          | 1004 | 385          | 2004 | <input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee            |
| 160          | 1005 | 80           | 2005 | <input type="checkbox"/> Prov. Filing Fee              |

Subtotal (1) \$ 385.00

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

|        | Number Claims | Prior** | Extra | Fee from Below | Fee Paid |
|--------|---------------|---------|-------|----------------|----------|
| Total  | 13            | 20      | 0     | 9              | 0        |
| Indep. | 3             | 3       | 0     | 43             | 0        |

Multiple Dependent Claims

\*\* Insert 3 and 20, or number previously paid if greater; Reissue see below

| Large Entity |      | Small Entity |      | Description   |
|--------------|------|--------------|------|---|
| Fee          | Code | Fee          | Code |   |
| 18           | 1202 | 9            | 2202 | Claims in excess of 20                                  |
| 86           | 1201 | 43           | 2201 | Independent claims in excess of 3                       |
| 290          | 1203 | 145          | 2203 | Multiple Dependent Claims                               |
| 86           | 1204 | 43           | 2204 | Reissue Independent Claims over Original Patent         |
| 18           | 1205 | 9            | 2205 | Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity Fee | Small Entity Fee | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|------------------|------------------|--|----------|
| Code             | Code             |  |          |
| 1051             | 2051             | Surcharge - Late filing fee or oath  | 65       |
| 1052             | 2052             | Surcharge - Late provisional Filing Fee or cover sheet                     | 25       |
| 1053             | 1053             | Non-English specification  | 130      |
| 1812             | 1812             | For Filing a Request for Reexamination. (ex parte)                         | 2,520    |
| 1251             | 2251             | Extension for reply within first month                                     | 55       |
| 1252             | 2252             | Extension for reply within second month                                    | 210      |
| 1253             | 2253             | Extension for reply within third month                                     | 475      |
| 1254             | 2254             | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    | 740      |
| 1255             | 2255             | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     | 1,005    |
| 1402             | 2402             | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     | 165      |
| 1403             | 2403             | Request for oral hearing   | 145      |
| 1814             | 2814             | Terminal Disclaimer Fee  | 55       |
| 1452             | 2452             | Petition to Revive - unavoidable   | 55       |
| 1453             | 2453             | Petition to Revive - unintentional   | 665      |
| 1501             | 2501             | Utility/Reissue issue fee (inc. advance copies)                            | 665      |
| 1502             | 2502             | Design issue fee (inc. advance copies)                                     | 240      |
| 1460             | 1460             | Petitions to the Commissioner  | 130      |
| 1807             | 1807             | Petitions related to provisional applications                              | 50       |
| 1806             | 1806             | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement                             | 180      |
| 8021             | 8021             | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | 40       |

Other Fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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